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SUBJECT: C-E LUMMUS (COMBUSTION ENGINEERING, N.J.) TO SIGN
MANAGEMENT CONTRACT FOR LIBERIA'S REFINERY

REF: MONROVIA 4757

1. MR. JOHN FOTI, DIRECTOR SALES OF RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT SERVICES INC., SUBSIDIARY OF COMBUSTION ENGINEERING, INC., REPORTED TO EMBOFF THAT HIS COMPANY WOULD SIGN MANAGEMENT CONTRACT ON JUNE 30, 1978, REPLACING AN INTERIM ARRANGEMENT FOR MANAGEMENT OF REFINERY. APPROXIMATELY TWELVE EXPATRIATES, MOSTLY BRITISH, WILL BE HIRED BY C-E LUMMUS TO HANDLE THE MANAGEMENT CONTRACT.

2. BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF NEW CORPORATE ENTITY, LIBERIA PETROLEUM REFINING COMPANY (LPRC), HAS BEEN NAMED AND INCLUDES SEVERAL MEMBERS SELECTED FROM PRIVATE SECTOR.

3. MR. FOTI INDICATED LPRC SHOULD BEGIN PRODUCING REFINED PRODUCT BY AUGUST 7TH, IF PLANS STAY ON TRACK. FOTI EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE THAT LPRC WOULD YIELD A PROFIT DURING ITS FIRST FULL CALENDAR YEAR OF OPERATION.
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